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Title: **MINIMALLY INVASIVE MEDICAL APPARATUS FOR
DISPENSING A BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE COMPOUND AND AN
ASSOCIATED MEDICAL PROCEDURE FOR DISPENSING A
BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE COMPOUND**
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09/934,399, filed August 21, 2001, upon which this divisional application is based. Accordingly, no further comment on the disclosures is believed necessary.

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	A.D	4	5	1	5	5	9	3	05/1985	Norton	604	265	
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	A.J	5	2	5	0	0	3	8	10/1993	Melker et al.	604	264	
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	B.I	5	5	9	9	3	2	1	02/1997	Conway et al.	604	265	
	B.J	5	6	0	7	4	1	7	03/1997	Batich et al.	604	890.1	
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	C.E	5	7	9	7	8	9	9	08/1998	Tilton, Jr.	606	1	
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	C.H	5	8	1	7	0	7	3	10/1998	Krespi	604	272	
	C.I	5	8	3	0	1	9	2	11/1998	Van Voorhis	604	533	
	C.J	5	8	4	2	9	7	1	12/1998	Yoon	606	101	
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	D.D	5	9	7	2	0	1	3	10/1999	Schmidt	606	185	
	D.E	5	9	7	2	5	0	5	10/1999	Phillips et al.	428	119	
	D.F	5	9	8	4	9	4	2	11/1999	Alden et al.	606	190	
	D.G	5	9	9	7	4	9	7	12/1999	Nita et al.	604	22	
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